

SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. CARPER, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. SANDERS) to the bill H.R. 1319, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 5; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

In section 1002(c) of the Act, strike “3 percent” and insert “1.5 percent, which shall remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 1003 of the Act, strike “\$47,500,000, to remain available until expended” and insert “\$23,750,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 1101(b)(1) of the Act, strike “\$15,000,000” and insert “\$7,500,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 2011 of the Act, strike “\$15,000,000, to remain available through September 30, 2024” and insert “\$7,500,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 2201(b) of the Act, strike “\$35,000,000, to remain available through September 30, 2025” and insert “\$17,500,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 2204(e) of the Act, strike “\$2,500,000 for fiscal year 2021, to remain available until expended,” and insert “\$1,250,000 for fiscal year 2021, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 2206(b)(6) of the Act, strike “\$73,000,000” and insert “\$36,500,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 2206(c) of the Act, strike “\$148,000,000, to remain available until expended” and insert “\$74,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 2904(1)(A) of the Act, strike “\$6,800,000” and insert “\$3,400,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 3201(a)(2)(B) of the Act, strike “\$30,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022,” and insert “\$15,000,000”.

In section 3201(a)(2)(C) of the Act, strike “\$3,000,000” and insert “\$1,500,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 3201(d)(1)(C) of the Act, strike “15 percent” and insert “7.5 percent, and shall be available for use by the grantee through September 30, 2022”.

In section 3202(c) of the Act, strike “\$20,000,000” and insert “\$10,000,000, which shall remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 3205(c)(2) of the Act, strike “fifteen percent” and insert “7.5 percent, and shall be available for use by the grantee through September 30, 2022”.

In section 3205(d)(3) of the Act, strike “\$50,000,000” and insert “\$25,000,000, which shall remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 3206(d)(1)(A) of the Act, strike “\$40,000,000” and insert “\$20,000,000, which shall remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 3207(b) of the Act, strike “3 percent” and insert “1.5 percent, which shall remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 5006(a)(1) of the Act, strike “\$840,000,000” and insert “\$420,000,000, which shall remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 6001(b) of the Act, strike “2 percent” and insert “1 percent, which shall remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 7102(c)(1) of the Act, strike “0.1 percent” and insert “0.05 percent, which shall remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 7202(a) of the Act, strike “1 percent” and insert “0.5 percent, which shall remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 7301(b)(5) of the Act, strike “\$10,000,000” and insert “\$5,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 9031 of the Act, strike “\$8,000,000, to remain available until expended” and insert “\$4,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 403(c)(2) of the Social Security Act, as added by section 9201 of the Act, strike “\$2,000,000” and insert “\$1,000,000, which shall remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 403(c)(6)(B) of the Social Security Act, as added by section 9201 of the Act, strike “15 percent” and insert “7.5 percent, which shall remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 9501(a)(10) of the Act, strike “\$10,000,000, to remain available until expended” and insert “\$5,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 9601(d)(1) of the Act, strike “\$1,464,500,000 to remain available until September 30, 2023” and insert “\$732,250,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 9601(d)(3) of the Act, strike “\$8,000,000 to remain available until September 30, 2023” and insert “\$4,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

In section 11003(a)(4) of the Act, strike “\$5,000,000” and insert “\$2,500,000, to remain available until September 30, 2022”.

SA 1158. Mrs. BLACKBURN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 891 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. CARPER, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. SANDERS) to the bill H.R. 1319, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 5; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of title VIII, insert the following:

SEC. —. FUNDING FOR COMMUNITY-BASED GRANT PROGRAM TO IMPROVE VETERAN RESILIENCY THROUGH THE PROVISION OF TRANSITION ASSISTANCE.

(a) IN GENERAL.—In addition to amounts otherwise made available, there is appropriated for fiscal year 2021, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, \$136,000,000 to remain available until September 30, 2023, for the grant program under section 4304 of the Johnny Isakson and David P. Roe, M.D. Veterans Health Care and Benefits Improvement Act of 2020 (Public Law 116-315).

(b) OFFSET.—The amount appropriated under section 8002 is hereby reduced by \$136,000,000.

SA 1159. Mrs. BLACKBURN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 891 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. CARPER, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. SANDERS) to the bill H.R. 1319, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 5; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 58, strike lines 4 through 7 and insert the following:

SEC. 2022. NIH RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT WITH ISRAEL.

In addition to amounts otherwise available, there is appropriated to the Secretary

of Health and Human Services for fiscal year 2021, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, \$4,000,000, for carrying out the established pilot program of the National Institutes of Health to support research and development efforts with Israel on COVID-19.

SEC. 2023. NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES.

In addition to amounts otherwise available, there is appropriated for fiscal year 2021, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, \$131,000,000,

SA 1160. Mrs. BLACKBURN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 891 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. CARPER, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. SANDERS) to the bill H.R. 1319, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 5; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

Strike section 10005.

SA 1161. Mr. CASSIDY (for himself, Mr. SCOTT, of South Carolina, and Mr. TILLIS) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 891 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. CARPER, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. SANDERS) to the bill H.R. 1319, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 5; as follows:

In section 2002 strike “that enroll a significant percentage of” and all that follows through the end of the section and insert “under the terms and conditions of section 312(d) of the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (division M of Public Law 116-260).”

SA 1162. Mr. CASSIDY (for himself and Mr. COTTON) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 891 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. CARPER, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. SANDERS) to the bill H.R. 1319, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 5; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 356, between lines 19 and 20, insert the following:

“(j) SPECIAL RULES WITH RESPECT TO PRISONERS.—

“(1) DISALLOWANCE OF CREDIT.—

“(A) IN GENERAL.—Subject to subparagraph (B), no credit shall be allowed under subsection (a) to an eligible individual who is, for each day during calendar year 2021, described in clause (i), (ii), (iii), (iv), or (v) of section 202(x)(1)(A) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 402(x)(1)(A)).

“(B) JOINT RETURN.—In the case of eligible individuals filing a joint return where 1 spouse is described in subparagraph (A), subsection (b)(1) shall be applied by substituting ‘\$1,400’ for ‘\$2,800’.

“(2) DENIAL OF ADVANCE REFUND OR CREDIT.—No refund or credit shall be made or allowed under subsection (g) with respect to

any individual whom the Secretary has knowledge is, at the time of any determination made pursuant to paragraph (3) of such subsection, described in clause (i), (ii), (iii), (iv), or (v) of section 202(x)(1)(A) of the Social Security Act.”.

SA 1163. Mr. PORTMAN (for himself, Mr. SCOTT, of South Carolina, and Mr. MORAN) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 891 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. CARPER, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. SANDERS) to the bill H.R. 1319, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 5; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

Strike section 4001 and insert the following:

SEC. 4001. EMERGENCY FEDERAL EMPLOYEE LEAVE FUND.

(a) **ESTABLISHMENT; APPROPRIATION.**—There is established in the Treasury the Emergency Federal Employee Leave Fund (in this section referred to as the “Fund”), to be administered by the Director of the Office of Personnel Management, for the purposes set forth in subsection (b). In addition to amounts otherwise available, there is appropriated for fiscal year 2021, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, \$15,000,000, which shall be deposited into the Fund and remain available through September 30, 2022. The Fund is available for reasonable expenses incurred by the Office of Personnel Management in administering this section.

(b) **PURPOSE.**—Amounts in the Fund shall be available for reimbursement to an agency for the use of paid leave under this section by any employee of the agency who is unable to work because the employee—

(1) is subject to a Federal, State, or local quarantine or isolation order related to COVID-19;

(2) has been advised by a health care provider to self-quarantine due to concerns related to COVID-19;

(3) is caring for an individual who is subject to such an order or has been so advised;

(4) is experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 and seeking a medical diagnosis;

(5) is caring for a son or daughter of such employee if the school or place of care of the son or daughter has been closed, if the school of such son or daughter requires or makes optional a virtual learning instruction model or requires or makes optional a hybrid of in-person and virtual learning instruction models, or the child care provider of such son or daughter is unavailable, due to COVID-19 precautions;

(6) is experiencing any other substantially similar condition;

(7) is caring for a family member with a mental or physical disability or who is 55 years of age or older and incapable of self-care, without regard to whether another individual other than the employee is available to care for such family member, if the place of care for such family member is closed or the direct care provider is unavailable due to COVID-19; or

(8) is obtaining immunization related to COVID-19 or to recover from any injury, disability, illness, or condition related to such immunization.

(c) **LIMITATIONS.**—

(1) **PERIOD OF AVAILABILITY.**—Paid leave under this section may only be provided to and used by an employee during the period beginning on the date of enactment of this Act and ending on September 30, 2021.

(2) **TOTAL HOURS; AMOUNT.**—Paid leave under this section—

(A) shall be provided to an employee in an amount not to exceed 600 hours of paid leave for each full-time employee, and in the case of a part-time employee, employee on an uncommon tour of duty, or employee with a seasonal work schedule, in an amount not to exceed the proportional equivalent of 600 hours to the extent amounts in the Fund remain available for reimbursement;

(B) shall be paid at the same hourly rate as other leave payments; and

(C) may not be provided to an employee if the leave would result in payments greater than \$2,800 in aggregate for any biweekly pay period for a full-time employee, or a proportionally equivalent biweekly limit for a part-time employee.

(3) **RELATIONSHIP TO OTHER LEAVE.**—Paid leave under this section—

(A) is in addition to any other leave provided to an employee;

(B) may not be used by an employee concurrently with any other paid leave; and

(C) may not be used by an employee unless the employee has first used other sick leave available to that employee for a purpose described in subsection (b).

(4) **CALCULATION OF RETIREMENT BENEFIT.**—Any paid leave provided to an employee under this section shall reduce the total service used to calculate any Federal civilian retirement benefit.

(5) **SPECIAL CONSIDERATION OF SICK LEAVE.**—During the period described in paragraph (1), an employee may use sick leave otherwise accrued to the employee for any purpose described in subsection (b).

(d) **REOPENING SCHOOLS.**—In addition to amounts otherwise available, there is appropriated to the Federal Emergency Management Agency for fiscal year 2021, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, \$400,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2025, to carry out the purposes of the Disaster Relief Fund for the emergency declaration issued by the President on March 13, 2020, pursuant to section 501(b) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5191(b)), and for any subsequent major disaster declaration that supersedes such emergency declaration, to reimburse eligible costs to support the safe reopening and operation of schools.

(e) **EMPLOYEE DEFINED.**—In this section, the term “employee” means—

(1) an individual in the executive branch for whom annual and sick leave is provided under subchapter I of chapter 63 of title 5, United States Code;

(2) an individual employed by the United States Postal Service;

(3) an individual employed by the Postal Regulatory Commission; and

(4) an employee of the Public Defender Service for the District of Columbia and the District of Columbia Courts.

SA 1164. Mr. PORTMAN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 891 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. CARPER, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. SANDERS) to the bill H.R. 1319, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 5; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of title IV, add the following:

SEC. 4. PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT.

(a) **FUNDING.**—In addition to amounts otherwise available, there is appropriated to the

Federal Emergency Management Agency for fiscal year 2021, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, \$100,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2025, for the reimbursement of purchases of personal protective equipment made in the United States.

(b) **USES.**—

(1) **IN GENERAL.**—Except as provided in paragraph (2), “personal protective equipment made in the United States” shall mean personal protective equipment that—

(A) is grown, reprocessed, reused, or produced in the United States; and

(B) when assembled outside the United States, contains only materials and components that are grown, reprocessed, reused, or produced in the United States.

(2) **EXCEPTION.**—Paragraph (1) shall not apply to an item of personal protective equipment, or component, or material thereof—

(A) that is, or that includes, a material listed in section 25.104 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation as one for which a non-availability determination has been made;

(B) as to which the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency determines that a sufficient quantity of a satisfactory quality that is grown, reprocessed, reused, or produced in the United States cannot be procured; or

(C) if, after maximizing to the extent feasible sources consistent with this paragraph, the Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency certifies, not less frequently than once every 120 days, that it is necessary to procure personal protective equipment under alternate procedures to respond to the immediate needs of a public health emergency.

(3) **REQUIREMENT.**—This subsection shall be applied in a manner consistent with United States obligations under international agreements.

SA 1165. Mr. TUBERVILLE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 891 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. CARPER, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. SANDERS) to the bill H.R. 1319, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 5; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of section 2301, add the following:

(d) **MINIMUM SHARE FOR CERTAIN RURAL AREAS.**—With respect to vaccines distributed to States using funds appropriated under subsection (a), not less than 30 percent shall be distributed to States with a fiscal year 2021 nonurban area Medicare area wage index of 0.805.

SA 1166. Mr. TUBERVILLE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 891 proposed by Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. WYDEN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. PETERS, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TESTER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. CARPER, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. SANDERS) to the bill H.R. 1319, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of S. Con. Res. 5; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end of section 2401, add the following: